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Joshua Henzey of Stourbridge, Worcs glass-maker
chn: Frances Henzey
Mary Henzey m1 ..... Bradley; m2 24 Jul 1660 Old Swinford, Worcs: Henry Oasland 1625-1703 [SCD}
John Henzey

m 24 Jul 1660 Old Swinford, Worcs: Mary dau of Joshua Henzey of Stourbridge, Worcs glass-maker;

John Henzey c1674-1719
d aged 45 1719

Hensey, John (formerly 5 hearths, Amblecote) 1666 HT; (5 hearths, Kingswinford) 1666 HT

Milward also records that in 1718 John Henzey sold his seat in Oldswinford church on 27th May . John Henzey died in 1719 , aged forty-five, having made his will two years earlier, in which he is described as a broadglassmaker of Haylestones, in Amblecote . He died a wealthy man, owning lands in ‘Castle Morton, Birch Morton, Longdon, Kingswinford and elsewhere in the counties of Worcester and Stafford’. He owned a twelve-roomed house in Amblecote, £223 of money in the house, a hundred and thirty-two ounces of plate and ‘debts due’ of £860. He had a stock of ‘50 case of broad-glass in the hands of Mr. Joshua Henzey.’ However, the value of this would be questionable, as the price was severely depressed due to the public’s growing preference for crown glass. A lengthy inventory of the testator’s estate was prepared by his brothers-in-law, William Godwin18 and William Pidcock, which totalled £1,390 12s 2d.
John Henzey fathered six children by his wife Elizabeth, but three died in infancy. At the time of his death his three remaining children were still very young: Frances aged ten, Mary aged eight, and John aged four. The glasshouse was therefore rented out, the tenancy being taken by Henry Barrar.